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HOUGHTON, MIFFLIN & CO. will publish on the 18th inst. "The Wire Cutters," a story of Texas, and of an embroilment over the shutting off of cattle from springs by wire fences, by Mrs. M. E. M. Davis, author of "Under the Man-Fig"; "A West Point Wooing, and other stories," many of which relate to episodes of West Point life, by Mrs. Clara Louise Burnham; an important little book by Dr. Benjamin F. Trueblood, secretary of the American Peace Society, urging and showing the practicability of "The Federation of the World;" "Fields, Factories, and Workshops, or two sister arts, industry and agriculture," by Prince Kropotkin, who discusses in this book the advantages that civilized societies would derive from a combination of industrial pursuits with intensive agriculture, and of brain work with manual work; the twelfth volume of Sargent's "The Silva of North America," dealing with the coniferæ; and a new issue, in the *Riverside Paper Series*, of Florence Converse's novel, "Diana Victrix." They have nearly ready "The Life of Edwin M. Stanton," secretary of war during Lincoln's and Johnson's administrations, written, with the sanction of the Stanton family, by Hon. George C. Gorham, for some years secretary of the United States Senate,

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**American** church almanac and year-book for 1899. V. 69, [Protestant Episcopal church.] N. Y., Ja. Pott & Co., [1899.] c. '98. 420 p. D. (Pott's lib., v. 1, no. 11.) pap., 25 c. [346

***Ames,** Ja. Barr. A selection of cases on the law of suretyship. Pt. 3. Cambridge, Mass., Harvard Law Review Pub. Assoc., 1899. c. 319–464 p. O. cl., $1. [347

**Annual** American catalogue, 1898; being the full titles, with descriptive notes, of all books recorded in *The Publishers' Weekly*, 1898, with author, title, and subject index, publishers' annual lists, and directory of publishers, [Fourth supplement to the American Catalogue, 1890–95.] N. Y., Office of *The Publishers' Weekly*, 1899. c. 16+221+98 p. O. hf. leath., $3.50. [348

***Annunzio,** Gabriel d', (*pseud.*) The child of pleasure; from the Italian, by Georgina Harding; the verses translated with an introd. by Arthur Symons. N. Y., G: H. Richmond & Son, 1898. c. 12°, cl., $1.50. [349

**Banks,** L: Albert, *D.D.* Anecdotes and morals: a volume of illustrations from current life. N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls Co., 1898. c. 46+417 p. D. cl., $1.50. [350

"The contents of this volume have not been gathered either from books or from the religious press. They are almost entirely composed of incidents happening throughout the world within the last few months, which have been seized upon to point a moral and illustrate some important theme. I have gathered here five hundred and fifty-nine of these anecdotal arrows, to which I have prepared an index with cross references."—*Author's Preface.*

***Beaman,** A. Hulme. Twenty years in the near east. N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1899. por. 8°, cl., $3.75. [351

***Bennett,** E. N. Downfall of the dervishes. N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1899. maps, 1 il. 8°, cl., $1.40. [352

***Berkeley,** G:, (*Bp.*) Works; ed. by G: Sampson; with a biographical introd. by A. J. Balfour. V. 3. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1899. 6+528 p. 12°, (Bohn's philo sophical lib.) cl., *net*, $1.50. [353

***Bible.** New Testament. The Epistles of St. Paul to Titus, Philemon, and the Hebrews; with notes, critical and practical, by Rev. M. F. Sadler. *New cheaper ed.* N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1899. 29+275 p. 12°, cl., $1.50. [354

**Blackburn,** Vernon. The fringe of an art: appreciations in music. N. Y., M. F. Mansfield & A. Wessels, [1899.] 8+175 p. por. sq. D. cl., *net*, $1.75. [355

*Contents:* Prologue; Modernity in music; "A century dead"; Arrigo Boito; A journalist on tour; A great contemporary; The "grand traité"; Calvé; A popular singer; Rossini; M. Maurel and his school; Il Don Giovanni; Plain song; "Otello"; The manners of music; Humour in music; Tschaikowsky; "Parsifal"; A mere glimpse; Mozart at Munich; Epilogue; "Vanitas vanitatum."

**Boissier,** Gaston. Roman Africa: archæological walks in Algeria and Tunis; authorized English version, by Arabella Ward. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1899. c. 13+344 p. maps, D. cl., $1.75. [356

That part of Africa which came under the direct domination of Rome is the subject of the present volume. The author transports the reader to Carthage, whence, at will, he may wander across the great stretch of surrounding country, visit the smaller cities and towns, and study, in the light of their past history, their inhabitants, their customs, their language and literature, their mode of living, their government, and the ruins of their ancient monuments, many of which are still standing.

**Bonsal,** Stephen. The fight for Santiago: the story of the soldier in the Cuban campaign from Tampa to the surrender. N. Y., Doubleday & McClure Co., 1899. c. 28+543 p. O. cl., $2.50. [357

*Contents:* How the war began; The first fight on Cuban soil; How the army grew; The army at sea; The skirmish at La Guasima; The fight; The day of battle; The night after San Juan; The crisis; Under the Mango trees; Scenes of the siege; The surrender; On the home trail. There are twenty-four appendices containing among other things: General Shafter's instructions; Extracts from Secretary Alger's report on the campaign; Extracts from Surgeon-General's report; The work of the engineers during the campaign; The conduct of the 71st N. Y.; Terms of the capitulation, etc.

***Botsford,** G: Willis. A history of Greece for high schools and academies. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1899. 13+381 p. il. maps, 8°, hf. leath., *net*, $1.10. [358

***Brandenburg,** Edwin C. The law of bankruptcy, including the national bankruptcy law of 1898, the rules, forms, and orders of the U. S. supreme court, the state exemption laws, the acts of 1867, etc., illustrated by the bankruptcy decisions under the act of 1867. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1898. c. 34+692 p. O. shp., $5. [359

***Broderick,** *Mrs.* Alan. Ananias: [a novel.] N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1899. 8°, cl., $1.25. [360

**Brooke,** Stopford A: The ship of the soul, and other papers. N. Y., T: Whittaker, [1899.] 3+118 p. S. (Small books on great subjects.) cl., 50 c. [361

*Contents:* The ship of the soul; The triumph over life; The Christian in the world; The risen life; The calming of the storm; God's education of man; Faithfulness until death.

**Brown,** Haydn. The secret of good health and long life. *2d ed., 6th thousand.* N. Y., M. F. Mansfield & A. Wessels, 1898. 3–152 p. nar. D. cl., 50 c. [362

*Contents:* What the length of a life is; What determines the length of a life; Some instances of false balance at certain ages; Food; Drink; Atmosphere; Smoking; Exercise; Care of body; Clothing; Occupation and diversion; Rest; Regularity.

***Browning,** Rob. Men and women; ed. by

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H. Buxton Forman. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1899. 16°, (Temple classics.) cl., 50 c.; limp leath., 75 c. [363

**Bullen,** Frank T. The cruise of the *Cachalot* round the world after sperm whales. N. Y., Appleton, 1899. 20+379 p. map, il. D. cl., $1.50. [364

"The course of the *Cachalot* was through the Atlantic to Tristan da Cunha, thence by the Indian Ocean to the Malay Archipelago, and northward to the Sea of Okhotsk; while the homeward track was by Polynesia, New Zealand, round the Horn, and northward. The incidents of sea life are attractively described, but some of the customs on board whalers seem to be peculiar."—*The Athenæum.*

***Burgoyne,** Frank J. Library construction, architecture, fittings, and furniture. N. Y., Francis P. Harper, 1898. 20+336 p. il. pl. 12°, cl., *net,* $1.75. [365

***Burton,** R: Literary likings. Bost., Copeland & Day, 1898. c. 7+384 p. 12°, cl., $1.50. [366

**Byrd,** Mary E. A laboratory manual in astronomy. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1899. c. 9+293 p. map, D. cl., $1.35. [367

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***Byrne,** Austin T. Inspection of the materials and workmanship employed in construction: a reference book for the use of inspectors, superintendents, and others engaged in the construction of public and private work, etc. N. Y., J: Wiley & Sons, 1898. 16°, cl., $3. [368

***Cajori,** Florian. A history of physics in its elementary branches, including the evolution of physical laboratories. N. Y., The Macmillan Co., 1899. 8+322 p. 8°, cl., *net,* $1.60. [369

**Carter,** J: Henton, ["Commodore Rollingpin," *pseud.*] The man at the wheel. St. Louis, Mo., Carter & Bro., 1899. 6+187 p. il. D. cl., $1.25. [370

Twenty-five sketches and stories told mostly by "the man at the wheel" of a Mississippi steamboat. They are reminiscent of past phases of pioneer life.

**Chetwode,** R. D. The knight of the golden chain. N. Y., Appleton, 1899. c. '98. 6+311 p. D. (Appleton's town and country lib., no. 257.) cl., $1; pap., 50 c. [371

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**Cleveland,** F: A. The final report of the Monetary Commission. Phil., American Acad. of Political and Social Science, [1899.] 31–56 p. O. (Publications of the society, no. 244.) pap., 25 c. [372

***Clowes,** W: Laird. The royal navy: a history from the earliest times to the present day. In 5 v. V. 3. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1899. 11+609 p. 8°, cl., *net,* $6.50. [373

**Clyde,** Anna M., *and* Wallace, Lillian. Through the year: a supplementary reader for third and fourth year pupils, combining nature study, science, history, literature. In 2 bks. Bk. 1, September to January; Bk. 2, February to June. Bost., Silver Burdett & Co., 1899. c. '98. 3–107; 6–110 p. il. sq. D. cl., *ea.,* 36 c. [374

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***Collier,** W: Miller, *ed.* The official rules, forms, and general orders in bankruptcy prescribed by the supreme court of the U. S. and promulgated Nov. 28, 1898; copiously annot., cross-referenced and indexed, [etc.] Alb., Matthew Bender, 1899. c. 493–658 p. O. hf. shp., $1.50. [376

***Compton,** Alfred G. Advanced metal work. In 3 pts. Pt. 1, The speed lathe. N. Y., J: Wiley & Sons, 1898. il. 12°, cl., $1.50. [377

**Conrad,** L:, *M.D.* Grüsse an meine freunde in New York; zum besten des Deutschen Hospitales. N. Y., Dyrsen & Pfeiffer, 1899. 8+146 p. D. cl., $1. [378

Verses on various subjects and occasions, by Dr. Conrad, at one time a famous physician practicing in New York City but now settled at Mayence, Germany. The sale of the volume is intended to benefit the German hospital (Das Deutsche Hospital) of New York.

***Cornish,** C. J. Animals of to-day: their life and conversation. N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1899. il. 8°, cl., $1.75. [379

***Cotes,** Rosamond. Dante's garden; with frontispiece. N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1899. pors. 8°, cl., $1.25. [380

***Crandall,** J: J., *ed.* Leading cases, American and English, on the law of legal tender and money, wherein are contained the judicial decisions of the state and federal courts on the legal tender acts, [etc.;] with notes by J: J. Crandall. Camden, N. J., S. Chew & Sons, prs., 1899. c. 13+7–358 p. O. cl., $2. [381

**Croker,** *Mrs.* Bertha M. Infatuation; or, Maria's misfortunes. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1899. c. '98. 3–307 p. D. (Lippincott's select novels, no. 214.) cl., $1; pap., 50 c. [382

A lover who cruelly jilts her, and a rich aunt to whom she is companion and who makes her life miserable by her intense selfishness, are among Maria Talbot's misfortunes. Her story opens at a summer resort in Switzerland, and has its concluding scenes at Brighton and London. It is in Switzerland she meets John Harland, a charming literary man, whose friendship offsets the neglect of her worthless lover. Also among her blessings is a rich American girl, who speaks a most wonderful jargon. A false French maid, who forges a will and almost succeeds in depriving Maria of her aunt's fortune after her long years of servitude, is a well drawn character.

***De Garmo,** C: Tales of Troy. *New ed.*

Bloomington, Ill., Public School Publishing Co., 1898. S. cl., 35 c. [383

***Durand**, W. F. The resistance and propulsion of ships: treating of the various subdivisions of resistance, their computation, experimental determination, and their dependence upon special conditions of the case, the propulsive action of geometrical elements, and of screw propellers and paddle-wheels, the mutual reaction between ship and propeller, the various problems of design; with illustrative examples and suggestions for special cases. N. Y., J: Wiley & Sons, 1898. 8°, cl., $5. [384

**Elder**, Orville. Pickey: a romance. Chic., Laird & Lee, [1899.] c. 7-299 p. il. D. cl., 50 c.; pap., 25 c. [385

The hero, Bob, a green country lad, leaves home at an early age on account of a stepmother, and, after knocking about at various employments, settles down as a train newsboy. While performing his duties he meets "Pickey," an orphan, under peculiar circumstances. His generous impulse to take care of her is the turning point in his life. He finally becomes a prosperous and prominent business man, wealthy and happy in "Pickey's" love.

**Fairchild**, *Rev.* Edwin Milton. Society's need of effective ethical instruction in church and school and the suggestion of an available method; reprint from the *American Journal of Sociology.* V. 4, no. 4. Chic., The University of Chicago Press, [Albany, N. Y., for sale by the Educational Church Board,] 1899. 433-447 p. O. pap., 25 c. [386

A statement of the psychology and pedagogy of ethical education, and the suggestion of visual instruction as an available method.

***Ferryman**, A. F. Mockler. British West Africa. N. Y., New Amsterdam Book Co., 1899. il. maps, 8°, cl., *net*, $4.50. [387

**François**, Victor E. Introductory French prose composition. N Y., American Book Co., [1899.] c. 94 p. D. bds., 25 c. [388

For students who have already gained some knowledge of French grammar.

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*Books and other printed matter, free, imported from other countries.*

| | Month ending November. | | Eleven mos. ending November. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Imported from:* | 1897. | 1898. | 1897. | 1898. |
| United Kingdom | $81,595 | $121,838 | $681,930 | $648,316 |
| France | 18,804 | 19,871 | 163,863 | 147,745 |
| Germany | 49,282 | 50,905 | 567,060 | 497,428 |
| Other Europe | 13,577 | 12,063 | 129,778 | 128,436 |
| British North America | 1,211 | 3,432 | 35,677 | 30,791 |
| Other Countries | 882 | 326 | 12,093 | 12,464 |
| Total | 165,351 | 208,435 | 1,590,401 | 1,465,180 |

*Books and other printed matter, dutiable, imported from other countries.*

| *Imported from:* | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| United Kingdom | $109,417 | $122,043 | $855,478 | $870,907 |
| France | 5,961 | 6,274 | 52,625 | 54,073 |
| Germany | 23,272 | 23,383 | 241,184 | 209,288 |
| Other Europe | 6,484 | 4,746 | 38,073 | 58,640 |
| British North America | 1,475 | 1,855 | 23,698 | 24,137 |
| China | 347 | 591 | 3,518 | 2,935 |
| Japan | 743 | 1,083 | 19,083 | 11,282 |
| Other Countries | 369 | 187 | 8,809 | 2,879 |
| Total | 148,068 | 160,162 | 1,242,468 | 1,234,141 |

*Values of Books and other printed matter, of Domestic Manufacture, Exported from the United States by Countries.*

| *Countries to which Exported:* | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| United Kingdom | $81,450 | $63,648 | $787,883 | $688,042 |
| Germany | 1,811 | 3,598 | 40,787 | 31,761 |
| France | 5,073 | 9,208 | 96,417 | 93,489 |
| Other Europe | 10,624 | 10,060 | 52,089 | 52,075 |
| British North America | 68,778 | 92,413 | 582,247 | 724,364 |
| Mexico | 5,510 | 1,130 | 45,683 | 27,456 |
| Central American States and British Honduras | 22,869 | 3,687 | 113,933 | 68,060 |
| Cuba | 96 | 2,505 | 815 | 4,363 |
| Puerto Rico | 1,285 | 2,578 | 61,926 | 9,695 |
| Santo Domingo | ..... | 1,122 | 2,707 | 4,720 |
| Other West Indies and Bermuda | 1,283 | 2,814 | 25,505 | 29,741 |
| Argentina | 3,016 | 1,561 | 28,147 | 21,974 |
| Brazil | 23,998 | 928 | 216,725 | 46,013 |
| Colombia | 1,676 | 999 | 32,323 | 9,154 |
| Other South America | 3,186 | 33,034 | 45,022 | 97,295 |
| China | 284 | 1,453 | 18,701 | 20,765 |
| British Australasia | 217 | 4,623 | 10,756 | 16,254 |
| British India and East Indies | 1,899 | 654 | 22,831 | 24,326 |
| Other Asia and Oceanica | 5,279 | 18,218 | 72,040 | 114,521 |
| Africa | 2,607 | 4,015 | 25,505 | 32,745 |
| Other Countries | 1,814 | 5,776 | 36,604 | 49,932 |
| Totals | 242,755 | 264,024 | 2,318,646 | 2,166,745 |

*Exports of Books and other printed matter, of Foreign Manufacture.*

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Free of Duty.* | | | | |
| Books, etc. | $1,578 | $2,590 | $38,089 | $33,151 |
| *Dutiable.* | | | | |
| Books, etc. | 1,938 | 3,001 | 21,509 | 22,139 |

Merchandise remaining in warehouse, November 30, 1897, $28,548; November 30, 1898, $32,224.

*Failures in the Book and Printing Trades for the Quarter ending November.*

| | November, 1896. | | November, 1897. | | November, 1898. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Number. | Liabilities. | Number. | Liabilities. | Number. | Liabilities. |
| Books and papers | 6 | $6,700 | 8 | $61,000 | 6 | $105,178 |
| Printing and engraving | 16 | 179,929 | 12 | 880,100 | 7 | 62,700 |

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*"I hold every man a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help and an ornament thereunto."*—LORD BACON.

## ABERRATIONS OF COPYRIGHT LEGISLATION.

THERE are few Federal laws to which more crazy amendments are proposed than to the copyright law. At almost every session of Congress one or more "impossible" amendments are offered that are either promptly pigeonholed, or, if they have the backing of a constituency that cannot be immediately ignored, are allowed to die gradually of inanition. The latest and most extraordinary of these measures is a provision tucked away in a Legislative, Executive, and Judicial Appropriation bill, the text of which is as follows: "That on and after July 1, 1899, no person shall be entitled to a copyright unless the copies deposited with the Librarian of Congress of such copyright, book or other article or the photograph deposited of a work of the fine arts shall be of such a substantial and permanent paper or substance and ink or impression as shall be according to such standard as shall be from time to time established and approved by the said Librarian."

The perniciousness of this measure does not perhaps, at the first glance, strike the layman or superficial reader who may think that the ostensible purport of the amendment is to secure a high standard of legibility and permanence in all works deposited in the Library of Congress. But its menace to the right of property, which is really the principal question at issue, will become apparent when it is pointed out that inasmuch as no provision is made as to the method of publication of these standards, and as the law requires that two copies must be deposited with the Librarian of Congress on or before the day of first publication, any error in not complying with standards would necessarily result in a loss of the copyright.

The provision was passed by the House, whose committee very likely did not consider it, as it was inserted as a "rider" or amendment to an appropriation bill to which it has no legitimate relation whatever. But when the bill came up in the Senate, on the 8th inst., attention was directed to this provision, with the result that it was laid over until the following day; when it again came up the provision was stricken out to be considered in conference. Meanwhile, the Publishers' Copyright League, ascertaining that the provision might possibly be retained in the bill, directed its counsel to file a protest against alterations of the copyright statutes, which clothe the Librarian of Congress with the arbitrary power not only of establishing standards but of altering them, which is really the most objectionable feature of the proposed measure.

As the Publishers' Copyright League points out, articles of great literary value are frequently printed as experiments, and the value of the copyright is not apparent until after publication. It would therefore be manifestly improper to charge every publisher and author with the duty of selecting paper of special quality and presswork of a particular grade in order to insure his copyright. It would be exceedingly difficult, if not altogether impossible, to fix justly any absolute standard; and it would be palpably unjust to empower the Librarian of Congress, or any official, to fix arbitrarily such standards as he pleased and to alter them whenever he pleased. As there is no provision made for publishing the required standards, this amendment would make it necessary for every one wishing to copyright a work to communicate in advance with the Librarian of Congress and ascertain from him what quality of paper, type, ink, binding, etc., would be required on the proposed date of publication. Even then there would be no assurance that such requirements might not be changed before that date. Such a system would be intolerable, and would certainly result in a general breakdown of copyright — for which end, indeed, there is a suspicion that it has been designed.

The Copyright Leagues and all others interested in the matter will therefore do well to watch this provision during every movement until the bill is through conference committee and through both houses. Though its reappearance under the circumstances would seem unlikely, it would be difficult to foretell whether the agent that secured its admission to an appropriation bill might not by the same subtle influence, or subtler "pull," secure its triumph in the end.

## A. C. McCLURG & CO.'S STORE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

THE five-story brick building at the northwest corner of Wabash Avenue and Madison Street, Chicago, occupied by A. C. McClurg & Co., was, with its contents, totally destroyed by fire on the 12th inst., entailing a loss estimated at nearly $640,000, the greater portion of which was on the stock. As is well known, this firm always carried a large and choice stock of books, many of those in the famous "Saints' and Sinners' Corner" being unique and hardly to be replaced. All these were lost.

The fire was the worst the Fire Department of Chicago has had to contend with in years. It started on Sunday morning about ten o'clock by the explosion of gas which had escaped, it is conjectured, in the third story. The flames spread with amazing rapidity, and before the first engine arrived were pouring out of the windows of the second, third, and fourth stories. A general alarm was sent in and soon fifty engines and other apparatus were at work. The firemen from the first had no hope of saving the building, the floors in which were beginning to fall, causing the walls to bulge, and in about two hours after the fire started the building and its contents were a heap of smoking ruins. Considerable difficulty was experienced by the firemen at first on account of the low water pressure, many of the hydrants being partly frozen up, and it was nearly twenty minutes after the fire broke out before the pressure was great enough to carry the streams to the third story. To add to the difficulty of the situation the temperature was several degrees below zero and a bitter north wind was blowing. Many of the firemen were severely frost-bitten. A. C. McClurg & Co.'s stock was insured for about $350,000.

The history of the firm of A. C. McClurg & Co. might be said to date as far back as 1848, for it had its origin in the book business conducted at that early day by S. C. Griggs in Lake Street. It was with this firm that General McClurg began his experience in the book business, and laid the foundation for his remarkably successful business career. In 1866 he returned from the War of the Rebellion and became a partner in the firm.

Two years later a fire destroyed their stock and the store was reopened in State Street, a few doors north of Madison Street. The locality was then known as "booksellers' row," two other book establishments occupying adjoining buildings. Then came the big fire of 1871, and the business was removed temporarily to the residence of Egbert L. Jansen, in Wabash Avenue, near Twelfth Street.

In 1872 the firm of S. C. Griggs & Co. dissolved partnership. S. C. Griggs devoted himself exclusively to publishing, and the firm of Jansen & McClurg was formed to continue the retail business, the store being located at 39 and 41 Lake Street. At that time the firm was doing a yearly business of very large proportions, its trade even before the big fire amounting to $500,000 annually. The business continued to grow steadily, and in 1884 it was found necessary to secure more commodious quarters. It was then that the firm leased the Rutter building. In 1886 Mr. Jansen retired, and the firm took its present name, Frederick B. Smith becoming a partner.

In the volume of its business and the amount of its stock the firm has been recognized for years as one of the largest in the country. More than 350 persons were employed in the store and as travelling salesmen, and the trade extended from Pennsylvania to Oregon.

The publishing department of the firm represents but a small proportion of the annual business, General McClurg stating that $100,000 would cover the transactions in that line.

The firm has always contracted for its printing, and is thus fortunate in not losing the plates for its various publications. A large stock of plates is in the keeping of local printers and also with Eastern firms. The card-engraving business of the stationery department was another feature of the trade enjoyed by the firm, and the destruction of the card plates left in the keeping of that department will be a heavy loss.

"It is impossible to state what our future course will be," General McClurg is reported to have said to a representative of the *Inter-Ocean*. "For the present we shall have headquarters in the Edson Keith building, at 166–172 Wabash Avenue. Our books and papers were in the vaults and we hope they were not damaged. We shall secure a wareroom, order new supplies, and fill orders that come to us as promptly as possible. A new building, planned to suit our business, would, of course, be the ideal thought; but even should we conclude to build, a place to do business in for the present will be necessary. Our business demands an entire building, and the offers that have so generously been made thus far are for no more than one story."

In the reorganization it is possible that General McClurg may retire, leaving the business to younger men. He has a beautiful home, a good income, and his friends declare that his remaining years should be passed free from the cares of business.

## ROSTAND DENIES THE CHARGE OF PLAGIARISM.

EDMOND ROSTAND, author of "Cyrano de Bergerac," appeared on the afternoon of the 11th inst. before Oliver Bodington, United States Commissioner, to take evidence in the case of Gross against Palmer and Mansfield. Rostand stated that he had never heard of or even seen Gross's "Merchant Prince of Corneville" until the present action was brought, and, moreover, that as early as 1896 he had related to Coquelin a full outline of his play of "Cyrano de Bergerac." To this Coquelin was prepared to testify, and this was before "The Merchant Prince of Corneville" had been written. "Besides," added Rostand, "Cyrano is an historical character, and all the episodes in his career are recorded in history." Rostand submitted very good-naturedly to cross-examination. He stated that the charge of plagiarism was absolutely false, and ridiculed any idea of resemblance when passages of "The Merchant Prince of Corneville" were translated to him. Rostand gave his evidence voluntarily, and as his counsel, Henry Cachard, announced, there was no law which could compel Rostand to give it, but he did so merely out of good-will to an American actor who was impersonating "Cyrano" in the United States.

"It appears," says the Paris correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, "that Rostand's testimony was a delightful literary treat.

Under cross-examination he related his entire career as a dramatist; how he formed a 'Cyrano' library, and how, as early as August, 1895, at Luchon, he wrote the famous fencing ballade and also the presentation of the cadets of Gascony. He said it was during a rehearsal of the 'Princesse Lointaine,' at Mme. Sarah Bernhardt's Theatre, that Coquelin, who was present, asked him to write a similar play for him. Rostand replied: 'I have a character already for you; it is Cyrano, and will fit you like a glove.' Rostand began writing the play piecemeal, and Coquelin learned it by heart as it proceeded until it was produced in December, 1897. When asked if he saw no resemblance between the balcony scene in 'Cyrano' and the balcony scene in 'The Merchant Prince of Corneville,' he said: 'No, not at all; no more than between it and the balcony scene in "Romeo," or hundreds of others that have been used by playwrights since Shakespeare, and even before. What is original in the balcony scene of "Cyrano" is that the man who is substituted for the real suitor is himself in love with the woman.'

"M. Rostand's testimony was full of wit and repartee and overflowing with sparkling humor that Commissioner Bodington and all the lawyers with difficulty repressed their merriment during the whole proceedings, thus forming a little Parisian cause célèbre."

## CANADIAN AUTHORS' SOCIETY.

At a meeting of leading newspaper and literary men held in Toronto on the 6th inst., an association was formed under the title of the "Society of Canadian Authors," for the purpose of promoting literature in Canada. George W. Ross was called to the chair, and in an address considered the copyright question at some length. He suggested that the society to be formed should make representations with a view to securing modifications of the bill which Lord Herschell at the last session introduced into the House of Lords, and which would come forward again this year, which aimed at consolidating the imperial copyright law. He suggested a number of amendments, after which it was decided to organize the society for the purpose of promoting literature in Canada A provisional committee was appointed, consisting of Prof. Goldwin Smith, George W. Ross, Professor Mayor, Sir G. R. Parkin, James Bain, Jr., Oliver Howland, Byron E. Walker, and Bernard McEvoy, secretary.

## A NEW PAPER COMPANY.

The Great Northern Paper Company has been organized with a capital stock of $4,000,000, to compete with the International Paper Company. It proposes to build mills on the Penobscot River, in Maine, where it has purchased about 260,000 acres of timber lands and lakes tributary to the Penobscot. Among the large contributors to the capital stock of the company are Col. Oliver H. Payne, Col. Augustus G. Paine, Meylert M. Armstrong, Augustus G. Paine, Jr., Walter S. Gurnee, John G. Moore, and Grant B. Schley of New York City, and Garrett Schenck, Edward H. Haskell, and the Messrs. Ames of Boston. The corporation will operate under a special charter granted by the legislature of Maine.

## COPYRIGHT IN RUSSIA.

A scheme for the protection of literary property in Russia has been formulated by the Commission which is revising the Civil Code. By its terms the copyright in any work will be vested in the author or his heirs and assigns for a period of fifty years. No limitation to the right of translating works published abroad by Russian or foreign writers is recommended, but native writers are to enjoy the exclusive right to translate their own works for ten years from the date of publication, provided that they bring out a translation within the first three years. Very strong provisions are urged against the piracy either of Russian or of foreign books, and it is recommended that the courts of justice should be empowered in assessing damage to reckon the extreme loss occasioned by such acts of spoliation. Curiously enough, an exception is to be made in the case of foreign musical works, on the ground that the development of music in Russia might be impeded if the reprinting of foreign music, whether authorized or not, were prohibited.

## NOTES ON AUTHORS.

George Egerton is finishing a new novel, to be entitled "The Hazard of the Ill."

Phil May is preparing a series of sketches portraying types of London street singers.

The Hon. Dorman B. Eaton is at work upon a volume entitled "The Government of Municipalities," which the Macmillan Company will publish in the Spring.

Tolstoi has completed a new novel, entitled "Resurrection," which is to be published during the present year. The proceeds of the sale of the book will be devoted to settling the Doukhobors in their western homes.

Edward Heron-Allen has written a so-called final study of Edward Fitzgerald's version of "Omar Khayyám," with the object of showing once for all how far the poem may be regarded as a translation, how far an adaptation, and how far an original work.

Edward Marshall, whose "Story of the Rough Riders" is shortly to be published by the G. W. Dillingham Company, has been compelled to have one of his legs amputated at the hip joint in order to save his life. Mr. Marshall was wounded in the charge of the Rough Riders at Guasimas.

Louis Rhead, who, in connection with his brother, George Rhead, of London, furnished the elaborate illustrations for the handsome edition of Tennyson's immortal "Idylls of the King" (published by R. H. Russell in New York), has in his possession the following acknowledgment from Queen Victoria, which shows her regard for the undeniably clever and striking work which has made the decoration in this volume so effective: "The Private Secretary is commanded to convey The Queen's thanks to Mr. Louis Rhead for his letter of the 3d inst., and for the accompanying copy of his edition of Tennyson's 'Idylls of the King,' which he has so kindly presented to Her Majesty. Sir Arthur Beggs is to add that The Queen prefers to keep the book in the ordinary binding.

## OBITUARY NOTES.

ALFRED A. HORN, at one time Chicago manager for D. Appleton & Co., died in El Paso, Tex., January 23. His remains were taken to Grand Rapids, Mich., for interment.

ADELGITHA BLACKWELL, the wife of Ernest E. Lemcke, senior of the firm of Lemcke & Buechner, died at her home at Orange, N. J., on the 13th inst., aged fifty. We extend our sympathy to our friend and colleague.

WE note the death, at her residence at 204 W. Rittenhouse Square, Philadelphia, on the 14th inst., of Mrs. Josephine Craige Lippincott, widow of J. B. Lippincott, the founder of the publishing house of that name, and mother of the second generation now directing the affairs of that house, seventy-six years of age.

EDWARD C. BIGMORE, for thirty-three years associated with B. F. Stevens, of Trafalgar Square, died in London, Eng., January 28, sixty-one years old. He was for a time joint author with the late Mr. Wyman of a valuable bibliography of printing, and he translated into English Bouchot's "Le Livre," to which book in its English form he added considerably. He was well known in the trade and at London salerooms.

C. C. BACKUS died at his home in New York City on the 14th inst. from cerebral apoplexy. Mr. Backus was born in Charlton, N. Y., March 13, 1816. At the age of twenty-four he engaged in the book and publishing business at Utica, N. Y., as one of the firm of Bennett, Backus & Hawley, who also issued there the *Baptist Register*, which became subsequently the *Examiner* of New York City. For thirty years he has been well known as an accurate student of the Bible.

HENRY JONES, ("Cavendish,") editor of the card department of the *Field* and of the pastime department of the *Queen*, and the well-known authority on whist, died in London on the 15th inst. Henry Jones, who as "Cavendish" had an international reputation as an authority on card games, was by profession a surgeon, and was a member of the Royal College of Surgeons. He was born in London, November 2, 1831. He received his general education in Kings College School and St. Bartholomew's Hospital, and practiced surgery in London from 1852 until 1869. He then relinquished his practice to devote himself to literary and editorial work on his favorite subject of games. In addition to his work on the *Field* and the *Queen*, he wrote treatises on whist, piquet, ecarté, billiards, tennis, croquet, and many minor games.

## JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

LADY RANDOLPH CHURCHILL has made arrangements with John Lane to publish her "gilt-edged" magazine, already referred to in our columns. It will be edited by her sister, Mrs. "Jack" Leslie, and the price for each number will be one guinea.

M. F. MANSFIELD & A. WESSELS, New York, announce a new periodical devoted to Rudyard Kipling, entitled *A Kipling Note Book*l It will be published monthly, and will con. tain illustrations, anecdotes, bibliographica- and biographical facts anent Kipling. The first number will contain a Japan paper proof portrait of Kipling.

## BIBLIOGRAPHIC PUBLICATIONS.

BRENTANO'S devote two and a half pages of their monthly list for February to publications concerning the Dreyfus affair. As the subject is among those most discussed among all classes of society, and information on the subject is asked for daily, the list will prove of service to attendants in bookstores, literary editors, etc.

CATALOGUES OF NEW AND SECOND-HAND BOOKS.—*H. W. Bryant*, 223 Middle St., Portland, Me., Americana. (No. 11, 1712–1844 titles.)—*J. F. Gepfert*, 138 Superior St., Cleveland, O., Law-books; second hand, shop-worn, and some new. (12 p. 16°.)—*U. P. James*, 127 W. 7th St., Cleveland, O., American history, literature, and biography. A well-arranged catalogue, useful for reference. (New ser., No. 1, 1935 titles.)—*Lemcke & Buechner*, 812 Broadway, N. Y., Monthly Bulletin of World Literature. (Nos. 11 and 12, November and December, 1898, 3803–4576 titles.)—*Jos. McDonough*, 53 State St., Albany, N. Y., Miscellaneous. (No. 139, 763–1473 titles.)—*Noah Farnham Morrison*, 877 Broad St., Newark, N. J., Slavery, Washington, America, Indians, etc. (No. 24, 1522–2210 titles.)—*George D. Smith*, 4 E. 42d St., N. Y., Miscellaneous. (No. 19, 16 p. 16°.)—*Thos. J. Taylor*, Taunton, Mass., Books, etc., relating to the Hawaiian Islands. (No. 69, 494–625 titles;) also, American Indians and their literature, American Revolution, trials, etc. (No. 70, 626–873 titles.)

## BUSINESS NOTES.

ALBANY, N. Y.—Banks & Bros., the law book publishers, have been succeeded by the firm of Banks & Co.

ALTOONA, PA.—M. Sheffer and G. M. Werner have opened a bookstore here.

BALTIMORE, MD.—The John Murphy Company has been incorporated for conducting a publishing, bookselling, printing, and stationery business by Frank K. Murphy, Denis Noble, Charles A. Murphy, E. Briston Tucker, and Frank H. Valentine.

CHICAGO, ILL.—G. N. Shafer & Co. have been incorporated to do a general book and newspaper business. Capital $5000. Incorporators: G. N. Shafer, E. O'Brien, and A. R. Towle.

CLEBURNE, TEX.—W. J. Prather has opened a bookstore on Henderson Street, and will be pleased to receive catalogues from publishers and stationers.

DALLAS, TEX.—John Kerrigan, books and stationery, has given a warranty deed for $500 to Mary L. Kerrigan.

DENVER, COLO.—The Potter & Putnam Company, publishers, of 63 Fifth Avenue, New York, have opened a branch office here, under the management of Wilson A. Hunt. Mr. Hunt is an educator of several years' experience.

GREENFIELD, MASS.—The F. H. Brown bookstore is to remove within a month from the present location at the corner of Main and Davis Streets to the building on Davis Street now occupied with the wholesale and printing departments. The printing part will be placed in rooms at the rear of the block.

MONMOUTH, ILL.—The Monmouth Book-Store Company has been succeeded by Harvey & McKelvey.

NEW YORK CITY.—William Beverley Harison has filed a petition in bankruptcy. At the time of going to press details were not ready for publication. The date set for first meeting of creditors is February 24, when claims will be proven and a trustee elected.

OSKALOOSA, IA.—Hedge Brothers, booksellers, have been succeeded by M. Hedge.

## LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

THE ASSOCIATION OF EMPLOYING BOOKBINDERS gave its annual dinner at the Hotel Savoy, New York, on the evening of February 13. Though the weather was decidedly unfavorable the attendance was good, and the exercises even more enjoyable than on any previous occasion.

GINN & CO. will publish shortly "Prinz Friedrich von Homburg," by Heinrich von Kleist, edited with notes and an introduction by Prof. John S. Nollen, of Iowa College. The edition is designed for advanced classes, and intended to facilitate the study of the work as literature.

W. H. WAGSTAFF, who was associated with the American branch of Cassell & Company for twenty-seven years, prior to 1893, after an absence of five years has returned to the book trade and joined the staff of W. T. Belding, the manager of the American branch of Cassell & Company, Limited, at 7 and 9 West 18th Street, New York.

THE President, on the 15th inst., sent to the Senate the nomination of Samuel June Barrows to be Librarian of Congress. Mr. Barrows now represents the Tenth district of Massachusetts in the House of Representatives, but his term will expire March 4. His appointment was urged by Secretary Long, Senators Hoar and Lodge, and by a number of librarians and others.

D. C. HEATH & CO. have just ready a somewhat abbreviated edition of Dumas's "La Tulipe Noire," adapted for Freshmen in college or for second-year pupils in high school. They have in preparation for their *English Classics* series books 1, 6, 22, and 24 of Pope's translation of the "Iliad," edited by Prof. Paul Shorey, of the University of Chicago; also, "Macaulay's Essay Upon Addison," edited by A. P. Walker, of the Boston English High School.

THE BROTHERS OF THE BOOK, Gouverneur, N. Y., have in preparation a reprint from *The Fortnightly Review* for April, 1881, of a little-known essay by Robert Louis Stevenson, entitled "The Morality of the Profession of Letters." Only a limited numbered edition will be printed, a portion of which will be offered for subscription. The "Brothers" have just published for private circulation as a "Valentine" a reprint in brochure form of Graham R. Tomson's beautiful bookish poem, "Old Books, Fresh Flowers."

J. M. BOWLES, 234 Cornhill, Boston, announces for early publication an interesting addition to the literature of art education, entitled "Composition," by Arthur W. Dow, curator of the Japanese paintings and prints in the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, and instructor in composition in the art department of the Pratt Institute and the Art Students' League. The volume will be illustrated with many compositions, including students' work, drawings, and arrangements by the author, and fine examples of Japanese and European art.

LEE & SHEPARD will publish in the spring Gen. O. O. Howard's new book, "Henry in the War," which was promised for the holidays, and a revised edition of the same author's "Donald's Schooldays"; "Fighting in Cuban Waters," by Edward Stratemeyer, the third volume of the *Old Glory Series;* "Grant Burton," a story for boys, by W. Gordon Parker; "Wee Lucy's Secret," by Sophie May; and "The House of Sixty Closets." They will publish next month "An Undivided Union," which Oliver Optic intended should be the last volume of *The Blue and Grey Series.* His notes and partly completed chapters for this story were carefully extended and finished by another hand to form a story after the author's design.

AT the dinner of The Booksellers' League, held at the French Restaurant at 111 West 25th Street, New York, on the evening of the 15th inst., Mr. E. D. North, of Charles Scribner's Sons, discoursed entertainingly on old and rare books. He considered the subject from the point of view of the dealer and also of the collector, under the following heads: Fading Fads, Famous Fields, Private Libraries in Greater New York, Vagaries of a Collector, Defence of Old Book Collecting, and Famous Hunting Grounds. Mr. North's remarks were followed by short talks from E. W. Johnson, A. Growoll, John A. Holden, and others. The annual meeting of the League will be held on the evening of March 3. The fourth annual dinner will be given March 15 at the rooms of the Uptown Association, 111 Fifth Avenue, New York. Interesting speakers have been secured to present their views on the subject of the "Making and Marketing of Books." The price of the tickets has been fixed at $2. Tickets may be had of W. H. Parker at Dutton's, 31 West 23d Street.

J. B. LIPPINCOTT COMPANY will publish next week a novel entitled "The Daughters of Babylon," by Wilson Barrett and Robert Hichens, based upon Mr. Barrett's play of the same name. They expect to publish at the same time a story entitled "The Taming of the Jungle," by Dr. C. W. Doyle, who was born in 1852 at Landour, a little hill station in the Himalayas. His father was killed in action in the Sepoy War of 1857–58, while leading a regiment of native cavalry, which he had been commissioned to raise by the government of India. Dr. Doyle lived in India for a number of years; proceeding later to England, he studied medicine and graduated with honors. For several years he has practised in America, and his literary work is rapidly obtaining recognition. They will publish shortly a volume of stories of city life by Charles Bloomingdale, Jr. ("Karl," of the Philadelphia *Press*), under the title of "Mr., Miss and Mrs.," which are said to be thoroughly modern in tone and clever in treatment; "A Trooper Galahad," by Capt. Charles King, U. S. A.; "The Wind Jammers," a novel, by T. Jenkins Hains; and "The Altar of Life," a novel, by May Bateman.

LOTHROP PUBLISHING COMPANY have in press for early issue "Tales of the Malayan Coast," by Rounseville Wildman, U. S. Consul at Hong Kong, whose connection with the stirring affairs in the far East, his association with Aguinaldo, the Filipino chief, and his intimate connection with Dewey's victories and the progress of the war in the Philippines, will give to his stories an especial interest. Of equal interest will be the history of the War of 1898, prepared by Elbridge S. Brooks, under the title of "The Story of Our War with Spain," which will give a comprehensive and consecutive story of the war, its causes and its progress, told for young people in the attractive manner that has made all Mr. Brooks's "stories" of history prime favorites with young readers, and with their elders as well. Besides these, they announce a new "Pepper" book by Margaret Sidney, entitled "The Stories Polly Pepper Told," which will introduce all the old friends of the Pepper family in a new field—and yet the old field, for it takes place in the famous "little brown house"; and "Germany, her people and their story," a popular history of Germany, from its discovery by the Romans to the present day, by Augusta Hale Gifford, wife of Hon. George Gifford, U. S. Consul at Basle, and sister to Senator Eugene Hale, of Maine.

THE W. B. CLARKE COMPANY, Boston, will publish in advance of its performance under the direction of Mrs. Jeanette Edmondson Walker, at Sanders's Theatre, Boston, in March, Thomas Heywood's play "Fortune by Land and Sea." Hitherto it has been very rare, copies of the Barron Field edition selling for $125 and upward. The play was originally produced under the management of Philip Henslow, Viscount Southwark's bailiff, usurer for actors, speculator in plays, and owner of the Boar's Head. The published play will be prefaced by notices of Heywood, with notes on certain other Heywoods with whom he is often confounded; of Henslow, a very interesting figure, and of Barron Field, one of the most indefatigable Shakespeareans. The volume will be bound in blue boards, with white labels. The play was first printed as a quarto in London in 1655. They will also publish at once an interesting little book, for which Israel Zangwill has furnished a genial and sympathetic "Foreword." The author, Miss Mary Antin, is a Polish Jewess, and wrote the story of her journey to the United States immediately after her arrival in this country, at the age of eleven years. Two years later she translated it into admirable English, and it is now published under the title of "From Plotzk to Boston."

### *FOREIGN NOTES.*

GRANT RICHARDS, London, will publish in the summer W. J. Stillman's "Life of Crispi."

BLACKWOOD & SONS will publish shortly "The Autobiography and Letters of the Late Mrs. Oliphant." The work was all but finished at the time of her death, and it has since been edited by her friend, Mrs. Coghill.

WILLIAM HEINEMANN, London, will publish shortly a monograph entitled "1812—Napoleon I. in Russia," by Vasili Verestchagin, the Russian painter. It will be illustrated with reproductions of fifty of the author's paintings.

T. FISHER UNWIN, London, will publish for the Johnson Club a volume of papers that were read at the quarterly suppers held in Johnson's old haunt in the Cheshire Cheese Tavern. The writers include Augustine Birrell and Dr. Birkbeck Hill.

ACCORDING to the London correspondent of the New York *Times*, "not only Cecil Rhodes but Sir Richard and Lady Burton will be identified among the characters in Morley Roberts's novel, 'A Son of Empire,' which Mr. Hutchinson will publish in the spring."

THE GROSVENOR PRESS are publishing by subscription an important work entitled "The Imperial Gallery of Portraiture and Biographical Encyclopædia," edited by William Lawler Wilson. It will contain about seven hundred portraits of prominent men and women, and each portrait will be accompanied by a biographical notice, the whole forming an index to the persons of distinction extant throughout the British Empire.

GEORGE BELL & SONS have nearly ready a limited edition of an important work on "Westminster Abbey—its History and Architecture," illustrated with over 70 large collotype plates from recent photographs. An architectural account of the abbey buildings has been contributed by J. T. Micklethwaite, architect to the Dean and Chapter, while H. J. Feasey is responsible for the historical text. An appendix by Edward Bell, on the earlier sepulchral monuments, is also included in the work.

HENRY FROWDE (the Oxford University Press) has just published the second volume of Edmund Payne's "History of the American Continent." The first volume of this work created a great deal of interest several years ago, dealing as it does, with climatic and biological conditions in an original and striking way. He will publish at once for the Cambridge University Press a work entitled "Cases in International Law during the Chino-Japanese War," by Sakuye Takahashi, a professor in law in the Imperial Naval Staff College of Japan. It will have a preface by Professor Holland and an introduction by Professor Westlake.

GEORGE REDWAY, London, will publish the amusing series of articles on "Odd Volumes and Their Book-Plates," which have appeared in the journal of the Ex-Libris Society. Walter Hamilton will there reveal himself as the writer of the booklet, of which only 150 copies are to be offered for sale. This series will be republished uniform in size and style with the well-known and much-sought *Opuscula* of the "Sette of Odd Volumes," with a biographical introduction by the Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P., and "The Physician," an original play in four acts by Henry Arthur Jones, author of "Judah," "Michael and His Lost Angel," "The Rogue's Comedy," and others.

W. & A. K. JOHNSTON, Edinburgh, have published a third edition of the valuable "Historical Geography of the Clans of Scotland," by T. B. Johnston and Col. James A. Robertson. The work has been edited by William Kirk Dickson, who has also prepared for it a "Narrative of the Highland Campaigns." The work was first published in 1872, and soon went out of print; a second edition also was shortly exhausted and the work has been out

of print for many years. Both authors being dead, the publishers induced Mr. Dickson to undertake the labor of revising and correcting the text and the notes, as well as the maps and the plans. Two documents have been added which afford much interesting information as to the state of the Highlands between 1715 and 1745—General Wade's report of 1724, and an tract from a "Memorial Anent the True State of the Highlands," attributed to Lord President Forbes. A new map has been added to illustrate the uprising of 1715, and a few portraits have also been added.

## PICK-UPS.

"WHY, you naughty boy, what made you tear up your new picture-book?" "Well—boo-hoo—why does it say on it 'indestructible picture-book'?"—*Fliegende Blaetter.*

A POOR EXCUSE.—*Scribbler:* "Spacer says he writes all his poetry while under the influence of liquor." *Reader.*—"Oh, well! drunkenness is no excuse for crime, you know."—*Puck.*

A DISTINCTION.—"In the romantic novel the hero and heroine married at the end of their troubles." "Yes?" "While in the realistic novel they marry at the beginning."—*Puck.*

HOW IT IS DONE.—*Celebrated Author:* Get down my encyclopædia from the attic at once, dear. *His Wife:* What for? *Celebrated Author:* I have just got an order to write a book upon my life in the Philippines.—*Life.*

A CHILD'S GUIDE TO LITERATURE.—*Q.* What is a Christmas book for children? *A.* A book to make fathers laugh. *Q.* And what is a Christmas book for grown-ups? *A.* One of Jane Austen's novels, with too many pictures. *Q.* What is a Christmas number? *A.* A collection of advertisements which appears in October.—*London Literary World.*

ILLUSTRATING the absurdities that sometimes crop out in the bookselling business, the following examples may be of interest: An order was received by the publishers for a copy of "Nonsense in America," which was finally translated to mean "The Rulers of the Sea," which had the sub-title, "Norsemen in America." Again, "Raisins and Beans" was ordered, and "Rosin the Beau" supplied. "Foil and Sabre," a treatise on fencing, filled an order for "Toil and Labor." "The Knickerbocker Club of North Africa," was ordered for "The Knockabout in North Africa." A well-known bookseller in Boston had in his window a set of Dickens, 15 vols., half calf, marked seventy-five cents per vol. A countryman seeing the sign and reading it hastily, entered the store, and approaching a salesman who is never without his little joke, said: "I'll take that Dickens," and passed out seventy-five cents. The salesman remonstrated that the price was seventy-five cents a volume, whereupon the countryman thought a while and said: "I ain't much on books, but they looked as though they mought be worth seventy-five cents, an' I thought I'd have 'em;" and then ejaculated: "Say, who is this fellow Dickens, anyhaow?" "Oh," said the salesman, "he was a contemporary of Thackeray and lived down by the Boston & Maine Station."

## AUCTION SALES.

[We shall be pleased to insert under this heading, without charge, advance notices of auction sales to be held anywhere in the United States. Word must reach us before Wednesday evening, to be in time for issue of same week.]

FEBRUARY 27, 3 P.M.—Miscellaneous. (347 lots.)—*Bangs.*

MARCH 3, 3 P.M.—Miscellaneous. (350 lots.)—*Bangs.*

MARCH —.—Pt. 2 of the stock of Geo ge H. Richmond & Co.—*Bangs.*

*In Preparation.*—The library of the late Henry T. Cox, of Brooklyn, N. Y.—*Bangs.*

## TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

***Under the heading "Books Wanted," subscribers only are entitled to a free insertion of five lines for books out of print, exclusive of address (in any issue except special numbers), to an extent not exceeding 100 lines a year. If more than five lines are sent, the excess is at 10 cents per line, and amount should be enclosed.*** *Bids for current books and such as may be easily had from the publishers, and repeated matter, as well as all advertisements from non-subscribers, must be paid for at the rate of 10 cents per line.*

*Under the heading "Books for Sale," the charge to subscribers and non-subscribers is 10 cents per line for each insertion. No deduction for repeated matter.*

*Under the heading "Situations Wanted," subscribers are entitled to one free insertion of five lines. For repeated matter and advertisements of non-subscribers the charge is 10 cents per line.*

*All other small, undisplayed, advertisements will be charged at the uniform rate of 10 cents per nonpareil line. Eight words may be reckoned to the line.*

*Parties with whom we have no accounts must pay in advance, otherwise no notice will be taken of their communications.*

*Parties desiring to receive answers to their advertisements through this office must either call for them or enclose postage stamps with their orders for the insertion of such advertisements. In all cases we must have the full address of advertisers, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.*

## BOOKS WANTED.

***☞ In answering, please state edition, condition, and price, including postage or express charges.***

***Houses that are willing to deal only on a cash-on-delivery basis will find it to their advantage to put after their firm-name the word [Cash].***

***☞ Write your wants plainly and on one side of the sheet only. Illegibly-written "wants" will be considered as not having been received. The "Publishers' Weekly" does not hold itself responsible for errors.***

***It should be understood that the appearance of advertisements in this column, or elsewhere in the "Publishers' Weekly," does not furnish a guarantee of credit. While it is endeavored to safeguard these columns by withdrawing the privilege of their use from advertisers who are not "good pay," booksellers should take the usual precaution, as to advertisers not known to them, that they would take in making sales to any unknown parties.***

**A. M. Allen, 412 River St., Troy, N. Y.**

Tillier's My Uncle Benjamin.
Spielhagen's What the Swallow Sang.

**American Baptist Publication Society, Chicago, Ill.**

2 sets Stevenson, *Thistle ed.*
Hunt Delphi's Dilemma, by Ruth McEnery Stuart.
The Moral Conflict of Humanity, and Other Papers, by Dr. A. C. Kendricks.

**American Baptist Pub. Soc., 316 N. 8th Street, St. Louis, Mo.**

Bound vol. of *St. Nicholas* for 1874. State price.

*BOOKS WANTED.—Continued.*

**Antiquarian Book Store, 1519 Farnam St., Omaha, Neb.**
Johnson's Cyclopædia, hf. mor., *latest ed.*
Skeats' Etymological Dictionary.
Atlas of Nebraska.
Jefferson's Notes on Virginia.
Learned's History for Ready Reference.
Report of Lexow Committee of N. Y. Senate on Trusts.

**A. S. Barnes & Co., 156 5th Ave., N. Y.**
Pendleton's Scientific Agriculture.

**N. J. Bartlett & Co., 28 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.**
Odd vols. Burton's Arabian Nights.

**C. Bernheimer, Room 4, 90 Centre St., N. Y.**
Stafford, Broken Bonds. Pub. by Underhill, 1885.

**The Book Shop, 171 Madison St., Chicago, Ill.** [*Cash.*]
Comedy of Canonization.
Methodists in Search of a Church.
An Eirenicon, by Dr. Pusey.

**J. W. Bouton, 10 W. 28th St., N. Y.**
Okeepa, Catlin.
Sparrowgrass Papers. 1853.
Audubon's Ornithological Biography, v. 2 and 4, cl.
Cambridge Shakespeare, 9 v., 1891-3.
Moll Pitcher, Whittier. 1840.
Critical Period, Fiske, large pap.
Perpetual Youth, Kirk.
Art of Living Long, Hardwick.

**The Bowen-Merrill Co., Indianapolis, Ind.**
Combinations, by S. C. T. Dodd.

**Geo. Brumder, Milwaukee, Wis.**
Sheridan's Book on Franco-German War.
*Illus. American*, April 2, '98.
Duyckinck, History of the World, pt. 33.
*Music*, Nov., Dec., 1897.
*North American Review*, v. 1, 1815.
Scott, 20 Years at the Play.
Booth, Actors and Actresses.
Flora McFlimsey from Madison Square.
Sheridan's Book on the Franco-German War.
*London Spectator*, May 7, '98.

**Bryant & Douglas Book and Stationery Co., 1002 Walnut St., Kansas City, Mo.** [*Cash.*]
Mrs. Praed's Australian Heroine.
" " The Head Station.

**The Burrows Bros. Co., Cleveland, O.**
Woodlock, Thomas F., The Anatomy of a Railroad Report.
Prescott, Wm. H., Hist. of the Reign of Phillip II., King of Spain, v. 1.
Davy, Physiology of the Carbo-Hydrates.
Hare, Two Noble Lives.
Cherbuliez, Samuel Brohl & Company.
Taylor, Hist of Ohio.
Parsons, Fibre-Bearing Plants of Florida.

**Campion & Horn, 1001 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa.**
Captain Fracasse, by Gautier.
Romance of a Mummy, by Gautier.
Avatar, by Gautier.
Spain, " "
Constantinople, by Gautier.

**The Carswell Co., Ltd., Library Dept., 30 Adelaide St., East, Toronto, Ont.**
County Atlases, any Counties of the Dominion of Canada.
County Histories, any Counties of the Province of Nova Scotia.
Richardson, Major, any books by.

**Case Library, Cleveland, O.**
*U. S. Dept. of Ag., Weather Bureau Bulletin* 15.
" " " *Chemistry Div. Bulletins* 5, 16, 25, 50, 51, 52.
" " " *Entomological Div. Bulletins* 2, 7, 12.
*Spirits of '76*, v. 1, nos. 2, 3, 4, 5.
De Bury's Philobiblon. Munsell, 1861.

**C. N. Caspar Company, 437 East Water St., Milwaukee, Wis.**
Kent's, Haswell's, and Trautwine's Engineers' Pocket-Book, second-hand. State dates and lowest prices.
*Cosmopolitan Mag.*, v. 1 to 7 incl.
*Munsey's Mag.*, v. 1 to 7 incl.
*McClure's Mag.*, v. 1.

**A. H. Clapp, 32 Maiden Lane, Albany, N. Y.**
Bumblepuppy, pap.
Epidemic Ophthalmia, Stephenson.
Catholic Religion, Rev. T. T. Carter.
Kin Beyond Sea, Gladstone.
A Study of Dolls, A. Cassell Ellis and G. S. Hall.

**W. B. Clarke Co., Park and Tremont Sts., Boston, Mass.**
Benton's Abridgment of Debates.
Story of a London Doll, and Story of a Country Doll.
Temper, by Mrs. Opie.

**Henry T. Coates & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.**
American Notes, by Kipling.
New Advancement, by Kipling.

**G. H. Colby & Co., Lancaster, N. H.** [*Cash.*]
All publishers' catalogues not to be found in T. L. Annual.
Blank-book catalogues.
Price-lists of stationers' novelties.

**Irving S. Colwell, 97 Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.**
3 Kelly's Law of Service. Putnam.
Benedict Arnold, by Lippard(?).
Standard Diaries, 1899, cheap.

**Congregational S. S. and Pub. Soc., 14a Beacon, St., Boston, Mass.**
Brown, Life on the Lagoons. Macmillan.

**Congregational S. S. and Pub. Soc., 175 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.**
Greene's Last Chance Junction.

**W. H. Creber, State National Bank, Bloomington, Ill.** [*Cash.*]
Azeglio's Challenge of Barlotta, 2 v. 1880.
Steinmetz's Romance of Duelling, 2 v. 1868.
Fergusson's Tree and Serpent Worship, *2d ed.* 1873.
Amours of the Chevalier de Faublas, Eng. tr., 4 v. 1822.
The Evolution of Morality, C. S. Wake. 1878.
Merry Order of St. Bridget, Margt. Anson. 1857.
Romance of Chastisement. London. 1870.
Jennings' Phallicism, with plates. 1884-5.
Conway's Demonology and Devil-Lore, 2 v.
Buller's Lyrics from the Song-Books of the Elizabethan Age. 1886.

**Crotty Bros., Lansing, Mich.**
Johnson's Encyclopædia, cl. or binding.
Century Dictionary, cl. or hf. mor.
V. 2 Blaine's 20 Years in Congress, sheep.

**P. T. Cunningham, 151 Centre St., N. Y.**
V. 2 Stanley's Darkest Africa, cl.

**Cushing & Co., 34 W. Baltimore St., Baltimore, Md.**
Laveleye, Primitive Property.

**Dellquest & Andrews, El Paso, Tex.**
History of Freemasonry, by Robert F. Gould, v. 1, new or second-hand. Pub. in 4 v. by John C. Yorston & Co., N. Y.
Macdonald, On Mortgages, *1st* or *2d ed.*
Macaulay's Essays, second-hand, cheap.

**DeWolfe, Fiske & Co., 361 Washington St., Boston, Mass.**
France Before the Revolution, by De Tocqueville.
Taine's Life of Napoleon Bonaparte.
The Literary Remains of Charles Wolfe.

**Dodd, Mead & Co., 149 Fifth Ave., N. Y.**
Charles I., Japan copy. Pub. by Goupil & Co.
Record of the Trial of Joshua Hett Smith, Esq., ed. by Hy. B. Dawson, roy. 8°, original wrappers, uncut. 1866.

**Wm. Donaldson & Co., Minneapolis, Minn.**
Hope of Religion, by Chadbourne. Putnam.
Strength of Man and Stability of Nations, by Chadbourne, leather. Putnam.
Lectures on Natural History and its Relation to Intellect, by Chadbourne. Pub. by Barnes.

**G. Dunn & Co., 22 W. 6th St., St. Paul, Minn.**
*Proceedings of U. S. Museum*, v. 1 to 13.
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